



AMERICAN RED CROSS COMMISSION

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From: Lt. Colonel Edward W. Ryan, A.R.C.
To: Lt. Colonel Robert Olds, A.R.C., Commissioner for
Europe, Paris.
Subject: Release of Major B.J. Valdés.

1. This is to certify that Major B.J. Valdés is released from service with the American Red Cross Commission for Relief of Allied Prisoners in Germany. Dr. Valdés is going to Paris enroute to his home in the Phillipine Islands.

2. Dr. Valdés was engaged by this Commission in Paris but the American Red Cross Commission in France had agreed in so far as Dr. Valdés had given his services free to the American Red Cross for eighteen months prior to joining this Commission they would pay his expenses to New York when he was ready to go home.

3. Attention is called to the fact that returning members of this Commission are not entitled to any money for maintenance as maintenance is included in the salary paid.

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